

## Abstract

## Sigma delta modulator

5 A quantizer for a sigma delta modulator comprising at least one preliminary stage (V1, V2), the quantizer quantizing an input signal ( $E_Q$ ) present at it in accordance with at least one threshold signal ( $y_{th,i}$ ) and outputting it as a result value ( $y_Q$ ) at a digital  
10 result output (OUT), wherein the quantizer has a number of comparators ( $5_j$ ) corresponding to the number of threshold signals ( $y_{th,j}$ ), which compare the input signal ( $E_Q$ ) with the respective threshold signal ( $y_{th,j}$ ), the threshold signal being reduced or increased by a  
15 correction voltage ( $y_{dac3}$ ) or a correction current, the correction voltage or correction current being generated in accordance with the result value ( $y_Q$ ) output at the result output (OUT).

20 Figure 6